February 25, 2005

KEVIN KEMP 13814 NE 85<sup>TH</sup> ST VANCOUVER WA 98682

Subject: Complaints filed against the John Davis and Paul Waadevig Campaigns –

PDC Cases #05-069 and 05-070

Dear Mr. Kemp:

The Public Disclosure Commission (PDC) staff has completed its investigation of your complaint, received September 3, 2004, alleging that the John Davis and Paul Waadevig campaigns violated RCW 42.17.080 and .090 by failing to timely file their respective July C-4 reports of contributions and expenditures.

Your complaint was reviewed in light of the following statutes:

**RCW 42.17.080 and .090** require candidates to file reports of contributions and expenditures. The reports must be timely, complete, and accurate. A PDC form C-3 must be completed for each bank deposit, and must be filed monthly, except for the four months preceding the election, when a C-3 must be filed each Monday. Except for special reports due 21 and 7 days before each election, a PDC form C-4, summarizing contributions and expenditures, must be filed monthly for periods in which the candidate's committee raised or spent at least \$200 since the close of its last C-4 report.

You alleged that the John Davis and Paul Waadevig campaigns failed to timely file their respective C-4 reports of contributions and expenditures covering July activities, on August 10, 2004, and their August pre-primary activities, 21 days before the primary election. Candidates in the primary election are required to file C-4 reports 21 and 7 days before that election. The 21-day pre-primary C-4 report covered the period July 1 through August 17 and was due August 24, 2004. Therefore, no monthly C-4 report was due on August 10, 2004 for July activities.

The John Davis campaign timely filed its 21-day pre-primary election C-4 report, correctly covering the period of July 1 through August 17, 2004, on August 18, 2004. The Paul Waadevig campaign timely filed its 21-day pre-primary election C-4 report, covering the same period, on August 23, 2004. Thus, neither campaign filed late reports.

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After a careful review of the alleged violations and relevant facts, we have concluded our investigation and, with the concurrence of the Chair of the Public Disclosure Commission, I am dismissing your complaint against the John Davis and Paul Waadevig campaigns.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact Phil Stutzman, Director of Compliance, at (360) 664-8853 or toll free at 1-877-601-2828.

Sincerely,

Vicki Rippie Executive Director

C: John Davis
Paul Waadevig